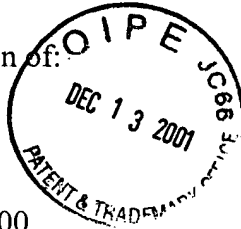


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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 19, 2001, please amend the above identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 8 and 21, and amend claims 1-4, 9, 13-17 and 22 as follows:

1. (Amended) A computer architecture for providing a bridge between tangible media and computer media, said computer architecture comprising:

a bridge server computer system including a database and a server control program;

a portable client device including a bridge control program and an input device adapted to receive a bridge code associated with a tangible media object;

a communications channel coupling said bridge server computer system and said portable client device;

whereby said bridge control program is operative to send a bridge code entered through said input device from said portable client device to said bridge server and said server control program is operative to query said database based on the bridge code and execute action commands contained in said database in correspondence to the bridge code, said action